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NOTE FOR: DDO

FROM: Dave Gries *DP*

25X1 Yesterday we talked about candidates for [] job and
 25X1 [] job. You asked me to think of officers other
 25X1 than [] who could become C/EA. My first choice would be Bob
 25X1 [] You would have to bring him back [] short
 of a full two-year tour. In my view, he is an exceptionally
 able manager.

25X1 My second choice would be [] who will complete his
 25X1 second year [] in mid 87. Dick knows EA, knows the
 division and the turf, and has a very good reputation with
 division personnel.

25X1 My third choice would be [] provided his []
 assignment fails to materialize. Like Dick, he knows the turf
 and has the respect of the division.

25X1 My fourth choice would be [] He is aggressive,
 imaginative, but unfamiliar with East Asia and perhaps a little
 fixed on other things.

25X1 My final choice would be [] who will complete his
 25X1 second year in mid 87. [] served [] long ago and
 probably elsewhere in East Asia.

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